## **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

- 1. No county snow-removal equipment shall be used on road association roadways until all public roadways are clear of snow. ROAD ASSOCIATION ROADWAYS WILL BE PLOWED ONLY AT THE DISCRETION OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT. **St. Louis County will not plow Road Association Roadways once Spring Road Restrictions are in place.**
- 2. Applications for plow service must be received by October 1st of said winter season and must be accompanied by payment in full.
- 3. Road Association Roadways will not be plowed until there is a minimum accumulation of four (4") inches of snow.
- 4. St. Louis County will not accept any applications for snowplowing services once there is 4 or more inches of snow on the ground.
- 5. County shall not be held responsible for delay or failure to perform when such delay or failure is due to any of the following uncontrollable circumstances: fire, flood, epidemic, strikes, wars, acts of God. County agrees to give notice as soon as possible to the applicant of the inability to perform.

## SPECIAL PROVISIONS REGARDING SNOWPLOWING

- 1. St. Louis County will ONLY plow Road Association roadways that connect to roadways which St. Louis County performs winter maintenance on.
- 2. Roadway must have a reasonably smooth driving surface and surface width must be a minimum of 15 feet.
- 3. Roadway must be clear of obstructions at least 12.5 feet on either side of its centerline (must have a 25 foot clear zone and be clear of overhanging branches or wires for a height of 15 feet).
- 4. A turnaround area will be a minimum of 30'x 75' and free of obstacles to allow ample room to turn the plow unit.
- 5. Gates or barricades must be open to allow unimpeded ingress and egress of plow units.
- 6. Road gradients and curves must allow snowplow units easy maneuvering and safe passage.
- 7. Roadway length will be verified at the time of inspection.
- 8. This application will be rejected if in the opinion of the inspector from Public Works the above requirements are not met.
- 9. If there is a change in circumstances during the snowplowing season which in the opinion of the snowplow operator that makes plowing the roadway unsafe or impractical to plow, this agreement will be terminated. Prior to termination the Road Association will be notified of the change in circumstance and given reasonable time, not to exceed two (2) weeks to return the roadway to compliance.